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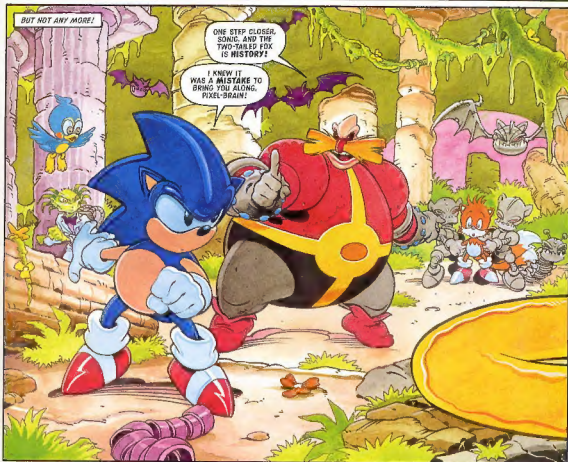
SONIC

FLICKIES' ISLAND

THE PREVIOUS

by MICHAEL KATZMAN Art by RICHARD TESSOR Lettering by TOM PARKS

FLICKIE'S ISLAND, A HAVEN OF PEACE AND TRANQUILITY...



BUT NOT ANY MORE!

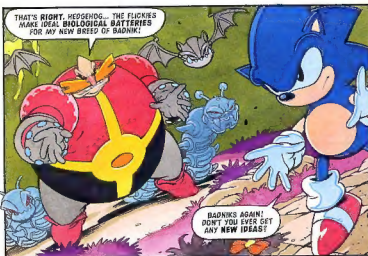
ONE STEP CLOSER, SONIC, AND THE TWO-TAILED FOX IS HISTORY!

I KNEW IT WAS A MISTAKE TO BRING YOU ALONG, PIXEL-BRAIN!



BUT, SONIC, IT WAS ME WHO ASKED YOU TO COME... TO FIND OUT WHAT WAS HAPPENING TO THE FLICKIES.

YEAH WELL, NOW WE KNOW... ROBOTNIK'S TURNING THEM INTO BADNIKS!



THAT'S RIGHT, HEDGEHOGS... THE FLICKIES
MAKE IDEAL BIOLOGICAL BATTERIES
FOR MY NEW BREED OF BADNIK!

BADNIKS AGAIN!
DON'T YOU EVER GET
ANY NEW IDEAS?



SOON I WILL HAVE
CREATED ENOUGH NEW
BADNIKS TO LAUNCH A
FULL SCALE ATTACK!

IT WON'T BE LONG
BEFORE I AM THE
MASTER OF THE
PLANET ONCE MORE!



THEN THE PEOPLE
OF MOBIUS WILL
REALLY SUFFER!

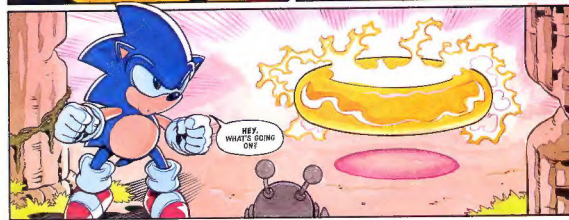
THIS TIME THEY WILL TREMBLE
AT THE MERE MENTION OF THE
NAME 'DOCTOR ROBOTNIK'!



NOW, SONIC,
STEP INTO THE CAGE
IF YOU PLEASE!

NO, DON'T DO IT! NEVER
MIND ABOUT ME!

BOY, I HATE IT
WHEN YOU TRY TO
BE NOBLE, TAILS!



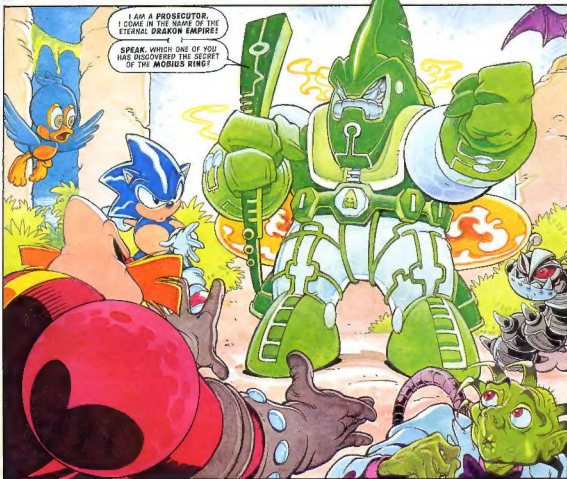
HEY,
WHAT'S GOING
ON?



SKREEEEEEEE!

THAT
LIGHT... IT'S
BLINDING!

I'D NEVER
HAVE NOTICED!



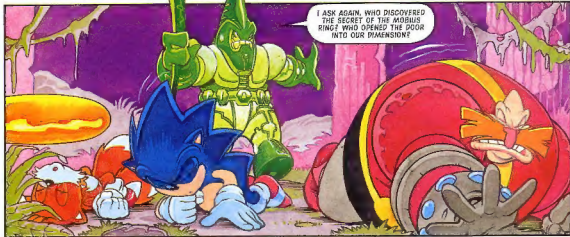
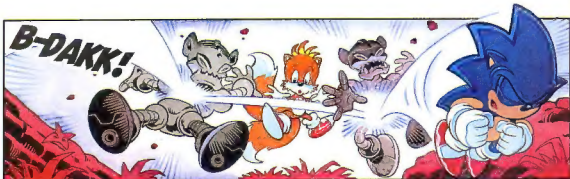
I AM A PROSECUTOR.
I COME IN THE NAME OF THE
ETERNAL DRAGON EMPIRE!

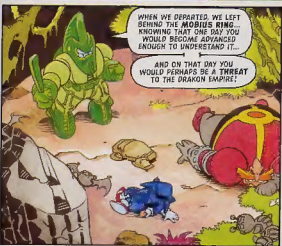
SPEAK, WHICH ONE OF YOU
HAS DISCOVERED THE SECRET
OF THE MOBIUS RING?

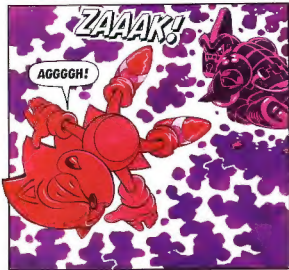
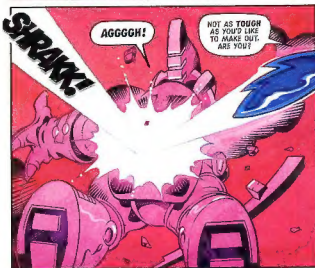


I DON'T KNOW
WHO THIS BOZO IS
AND I DON'T CARE!

BUT WHAT I NEED
IS A DISTRACTION,
AND THIS IS IT!







SKREEEE



LOOKS LIKE THE MOBIUS RING HAS STOPPED WORKING! NO WAY WE CAN FOLLOW...



THIS DRAGON EMPIRE WORRIES ME... PARTICULARLY THE STUFF ABOUT MOBIUS BEING SOME KIND OF THREAT!



HEY, WHAT'S THIS? IT FELL OFF THE PROSECUTOR'S ARMOUR!

THAT FACE LOOKS FAMILIAR. THOUGH I CAN'T REMEMBER WHERE I'VE SEEN IT BEFORE.



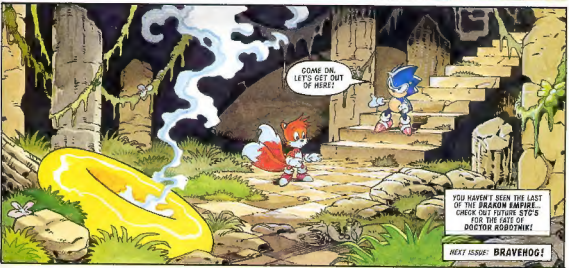
"IF ANY OF YOU LONG-TIME READERS OF STG RECOGNISE THIS FACE, GIVE YOURSELVES A PAT ON THE BACK! — Megadroids."

DO YOU THINK WE'VE SEEN THE LAST OF ROBOTNIK THIS TIME, SONIC?



I'D LIKE TO THINK SO, TAILS. BUT SOMEHOW...

COME ON, LET'S GET OUT OF HERE!



YOU HAVEN'T SEEN THE LAST OF THE DRAGON EMPIRE. CHECK OUT FUTURE STG'S FOR THE FATE OF DOCTOR ROBOTNIK!

NEXT ISSUE: BRAVEHOG!

AFTER SOME PERSUASION, KRAKIOTA, THE SEA SERPENT, HAS FINALLY REVEALED TO CAPTAIN PLUNDER THE LOCATION OF THE AKOTEK TREASURE.



NOW ACCOMPANIED BY QUEEN ZORABEL AND HER DAUGHTERS, THE SPICE MAIDENS, PLUNDER LEADS THE SEARCH...



WHAT A PLACE TO BURY TREASURE! THIS IS GOING TO BE REAL HARD DIGGING!

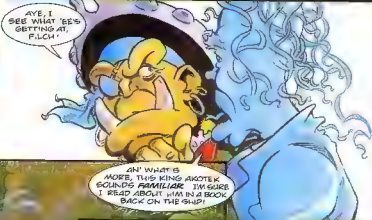
IT'S NOT EXACTLY BURIED TREASURE, PLUNDER...

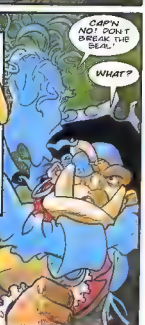
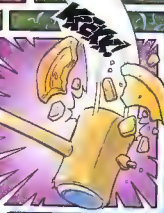
THE AKOTEK TREASURE BE THE LOST TREASURE OF KING AKOTEK! WHEN HE DIED IT WAS SEALED WITH HIS BODY IN A TOMB!



YOU MEAN WE BE TOMB ROBBERS? NO, WE CAN'T...









FILCH, WHAT
IS IT? DID YOU FIND OUT
SOMETHING ABOUT KING
AKOTEK?

AYE
CAP'N, I SURELY
DID!

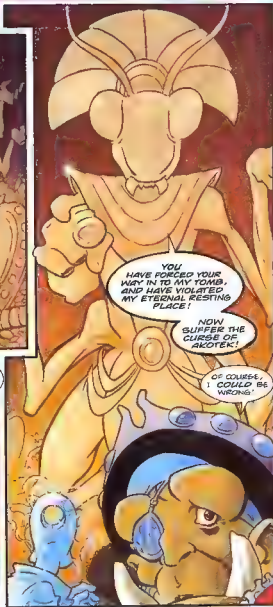


LOOK AT
THIS TREASURE
I NEVER DREAMT I
WOULD BE SO
WONDERFUL!

AND I
KNOW WHY ISRAEL
BROUGHT YOU ALONG. SHE
BE WANTING SOMEONE
ELSE TO BREAK THE
SEAL!

THERE
BE A CURSE, YOU
SEE CAP'N. THE ONE
WHO BREAKS THE SEAL
IS CURSED FOR ALL
ETERNITY.

DON'T
MAKE ME LAUGH
THERE BE NO SUCH
THING AS A
CURSE!



YOU
HAVE FORCED YOUR
WAY IN TO MY TOMB,
AND HAVE VIOLATED
MY ETERNAL RESTING
PLACE!

NOW
SUFFER THE
CURSE OF
AKOTEK!

OF COURSE,
I COULD BE
WRONG!

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COMPLETE
STORY

OUT OF WORK HERO

THE LAVA LOCH ZONE,
WHERE AMY, JOHNNY
AND TERNIO HAVE BEEN
SUMMONED TO EXAMINE
A STRANGE DISCOVERY

LOOKS LIKE
A LUMP OF ROCK TO
ME! WHAT'S WEIRD
ABOUT THAT?

IT WASN'T THERE
YESTERDAY! THAT'S
WHAT'S WEIRD!

THAT'S NOT
ALL! I'M PICKING
UP A HEARTBEAT
FROM INSIDE
THE LAVA!

CRACK!

STILL
THINK IT'S A ROCK,
JOHNNY?

WHOA!
IT
MOVED!

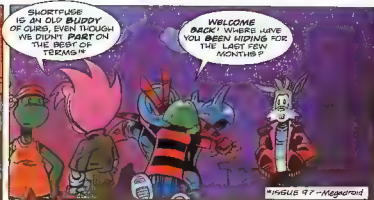
SHATTER!

GET
READY TO
MEET WHOEVER'S
INSIDE IT, GANG!
IT'S BREAKING
OPEN!

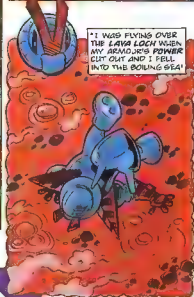


SHORTFUSE
THE
CYBERNIK!

BR. IS HE
A HERO OR A
VILLAIN?



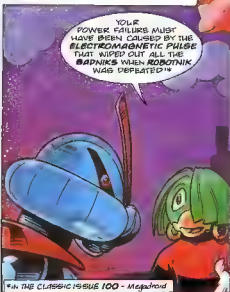
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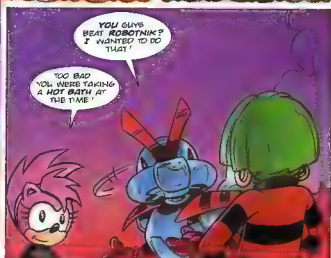
"I WAS FLYING OVER
THE LAVA LOCH WHEN
MY ARMOR'S POWER
CUT OUT AND I FELL
INTO THE BOILING SEA!"



"ONLY MY RESERVE LIFE-
SUPPORT SYSTEMS AND MY
INVINCIBLE ARMOR SAVED
ME! WHEN MY POWER
RETURNED, I CRAWLED TO
THE SHORE, WHERE YOU
FOUND ME TODAY!"



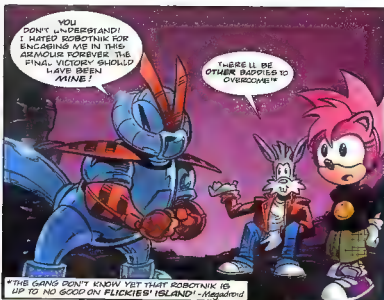
YOUR
POWER FAILURES MUST
HAVE BEEN CAUSED BY THE
ELECTROMAGNETIC PULSE
THAT WIPED OUT ALL THE
BADNIKS WHEN ROBOTNIK
WAS DEFEATED!"



YOU GUYS
BEAT ROBOTNIK?
I WANTED TO DO
THAT!

TOO BAD
YOU WERE TAKING
A HOT BATH AT
THE TIME!

*in THE CLASSIC ISSUE 100 - Megadroid



YOU DON'T UNDERSTAND! I HATED ROBOTNIK FOR ENCRAGING ME IN THIS ARMOUR FOREVER. THE FINAL VICTORY SHOULD HAVE BEEN MINE!

THERE'LL BE OTHER BADDIES TO OVERCOME!"

*THE GANG DON'T KNOW YET THAT ROBOTNIK IS UP TO NO GOOD ON FLICKIE'S ISLAND! -Magadroid



BEING A HERO'S MADE YOU TOO INTENSE! EVER CONSIDERED DOING A PROPER JOB?

MAYBE I SHOULD DO JUST THAT, ANY GOODBYE!

- BUT SHORTFUSE DOESN'T FIND ORDINARY JOBS EASY TO HANDLE

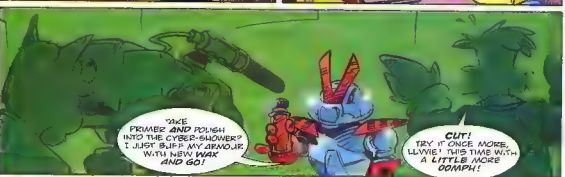


CAN I INTEREST YOU IN DOUBLE GLAZING, SR?

OOOPS!

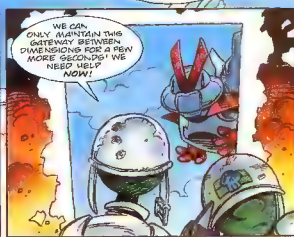
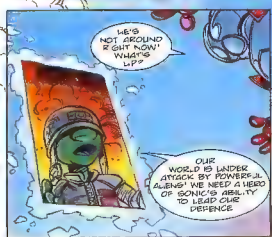
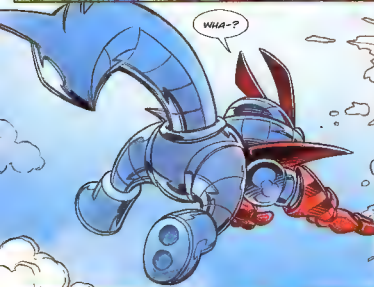
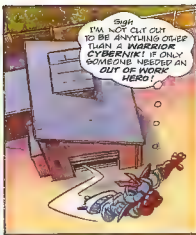


I'VE ALREADY TOLD YOU NOT TO COOK BURGERS WITH YOUR LASER BLASTER!



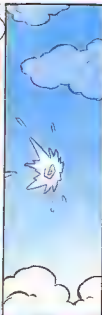
TAKE PRIMER AND POLISH INTO THE CYBER-SHOWER? I JUST BUFF MY ARMOUR WITH NEW WAX AND GO!

CUT! TRY IT ONCE MORE, LUVVIE! THIS TIME WITH A LITTLE MORE DUMPH!





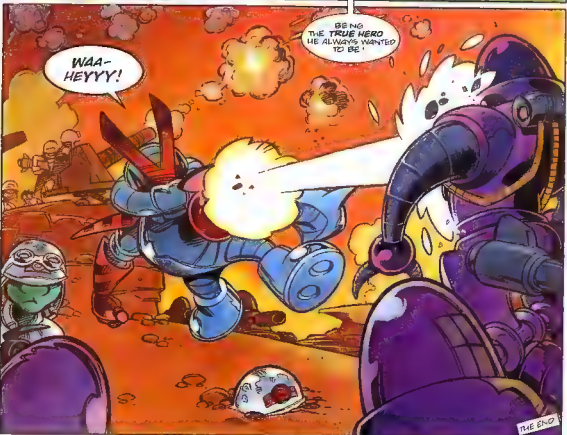
FRIEND,
I'LL SEE WHAT
I CAN DO FOR
YOU!



DAYS LATER

WONDER
WHAT BECAME OF
SHORTFUSE?

DON'T
WORRY, TEKNO
HE'S OUT THERE
SOMEWHERE



WAA-
HEYYY!

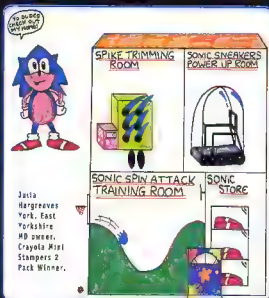
BEING
THE TRUE HERO
HE ALWAYS WANTED
TO BE!

THE END

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SONIC'S DAY OFF!

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SPLAT!

Jacob Padkin,
South Wigston
Leicester,
Crayola Mini
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Winner





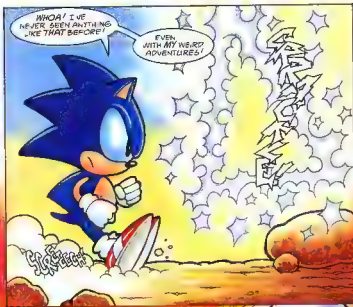
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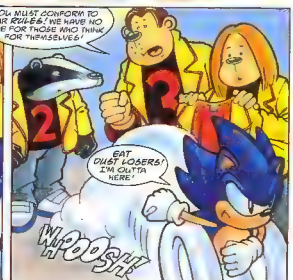
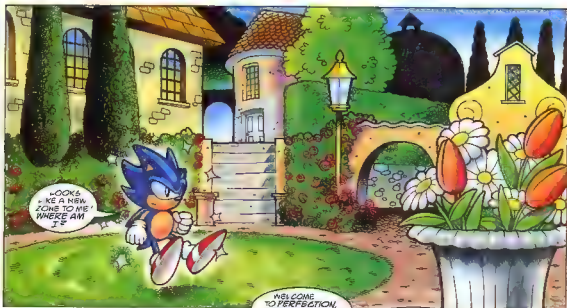
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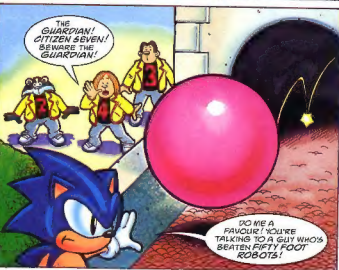
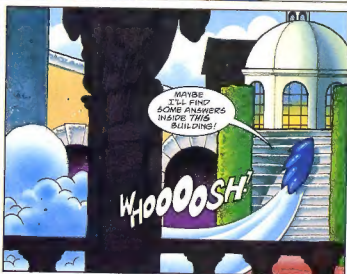
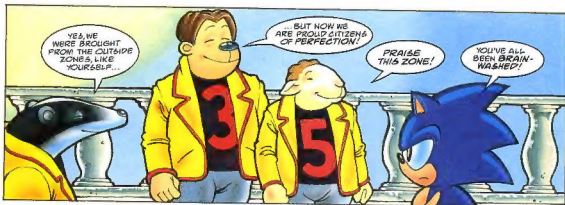


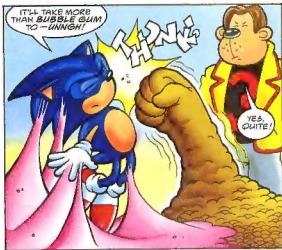
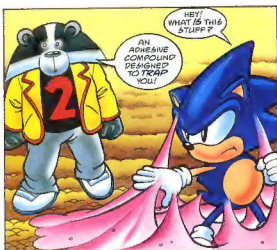
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IDENTITY CAD!

Dear Megadroid,

I would like to know why Doctor Robotnik wears a different suit of clothes in the comic to the outfit that he wears in the game.

Kevin Leathers,
Watford, Hertfordshire.
Sonic 2 Crucial Cup Winner.



Robotnik agreed to be given a complete make-over in *STC* back in 1994's issue 22. Even merciless, power-crazed dictators feel like a change from time to time, Kevin (ask the humes-who-think-they're-in-charge!).

Emma McMaster, Redcar, Cleveland. Sonic 2 Crucial Cup Winner.



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EDWARD SAYS!

Dear Megadroid,

My son Edward says that Amy's got the personality of a marshmallow, Tails needs a decent haircut and Knuckles looks as though he's been rummaging through garbage! He also says that Sonic is a waste of space and that those fat green turtles could flatten a blue hedgehog any day! What do you have to say about that?

 Robert Jones, c/o Edward,
Mold, Flintshire, Wales.
Sonic 2 Crucial Cup Winner.



I have to say that I blame the parents Mr Jones!

**EVERYTHING
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CRUCIAL CUP!**



OUT OF SHAPE!

Dear *STC*,

First of all, I'd just like to say that I always thought it would be a great idea to have a Flickies' Island story. Secondly, I read in a book at school that echidnas are supposed to have hinges on their hind feet. Straight away I thought that there must be something dodgy about Knuckles to have them on his gloves! Is there something wrong with him?

Adam Butcher,
Devizes, Wiltshire.
Sonic 2 Crucial Cup Winner.



Hope you're enjoying the current main Sonic story, Adam? However, are you hinting that the red dreaded one is unhinged in some way?